IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Matter of the Application of: Xavier Cirac Sole

Application No.: 10/549,472 Confirmation No.: 8300

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For: SAFETY INSERT FOR SINGLE-USE DISPOSABLE SYRINGES

Examiner: Group Art Unit: 3763

Attorney Docket No.: 21334-1519

SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicant hereby submits the following amendments. Please charge any additional requisite fees relating to this amendment and response to Deposit Account No. 501581.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are reflected on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.